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## REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.323

Patentees enclose a Certificate of Correction form (PTO-1050) for U.S. Patent No. 6,682,505, issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 27, 2004. Upon review of the patent by the undersigned, it was determined that the PTO did not use the formal drawings submitted by the Patentee on October 31, 2001 and instead used the informal drawings submitted with the initial filing. Additionally, the name of the attorney of Record, "Nicola A. Pisano", was misspelled as "Nicole A. Pisano". Patentees and their assignee (Arteria Medical Science, Inc.) respectfully request the issuance of a Certificate of Correction. The correction does not constitute new matter nor require reexamination.

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It is believed that no fee is required in connection with this submission pursuant to 37 CFR 1.322(b). However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee required to our Deposit Account No. 50-2298, in the name of Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps LLP. Should any issues remain unresolved, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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PATENT NO. : 6,682,505 B2

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Please replace section (74) Attorney, Agent or Firm with: Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps; Nicola A. Pisano.

Please replace the informal drawings of Figures 1-21 (15 sheets) with the attached formal drawings of Figures 1-21 (16 sheets).

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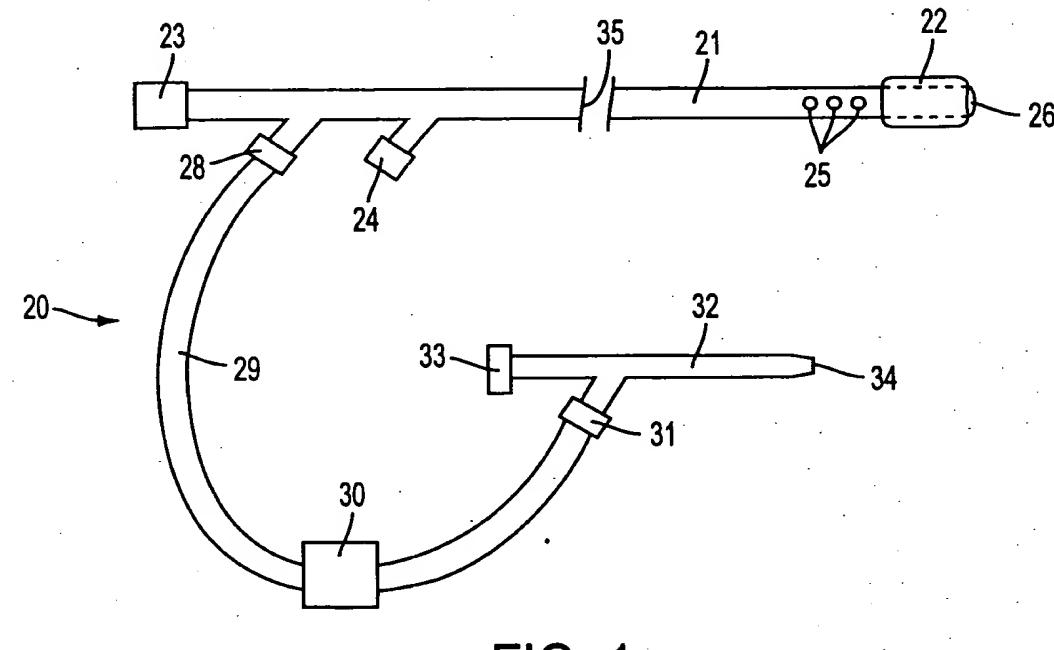


FIG. 1



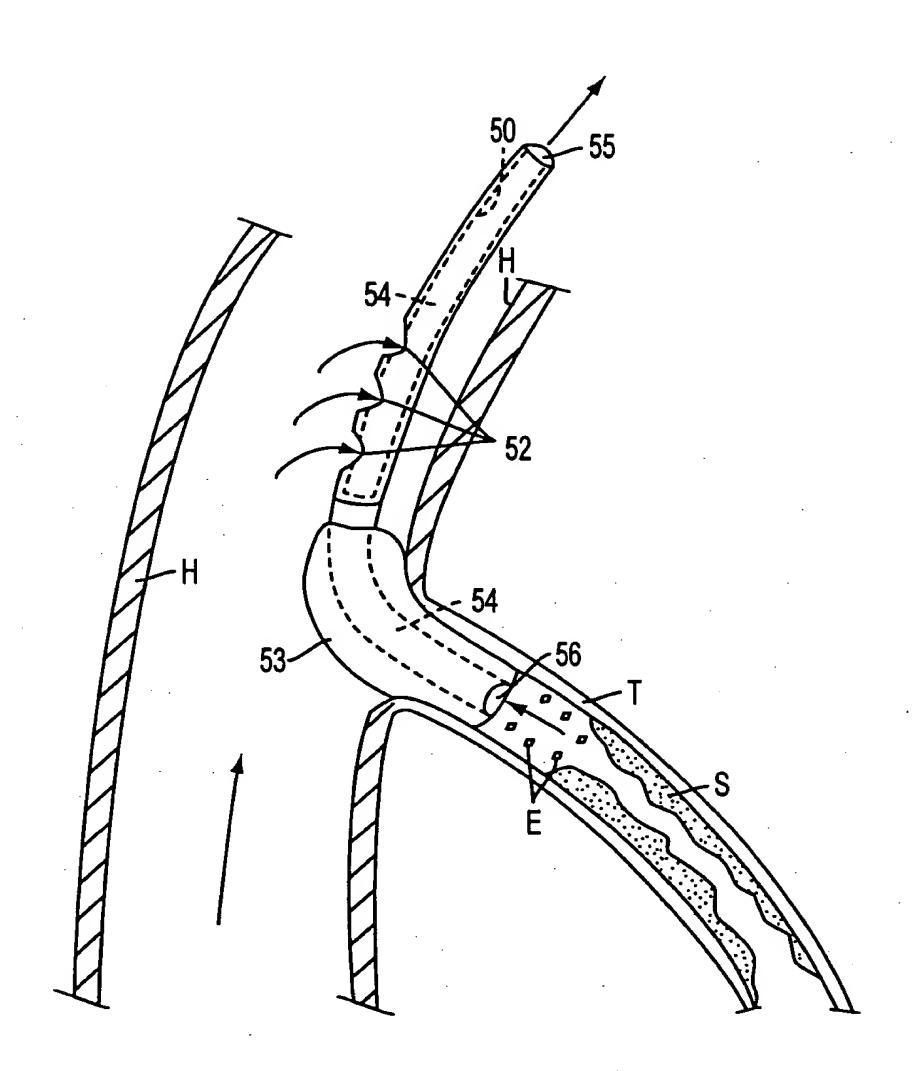
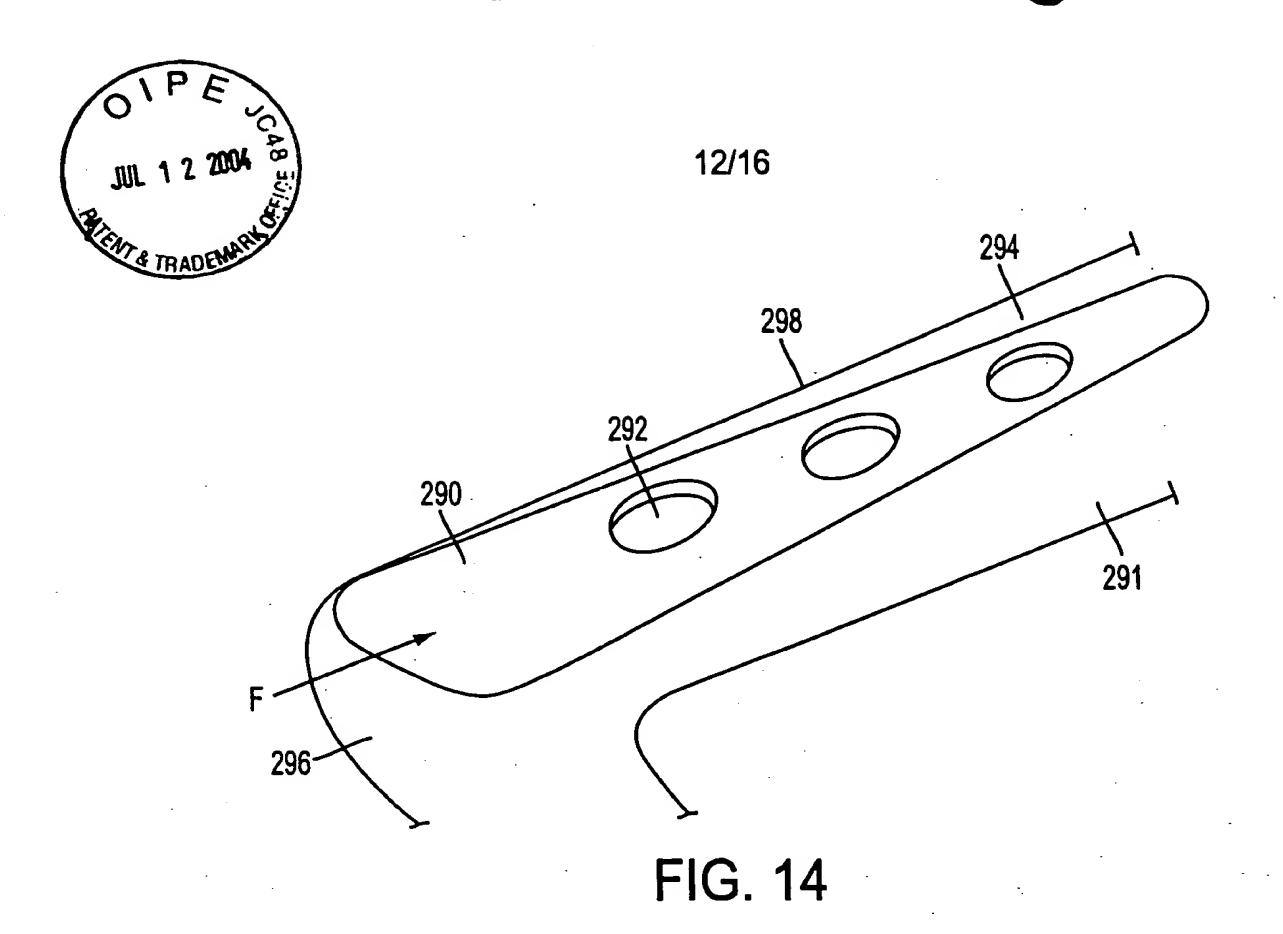
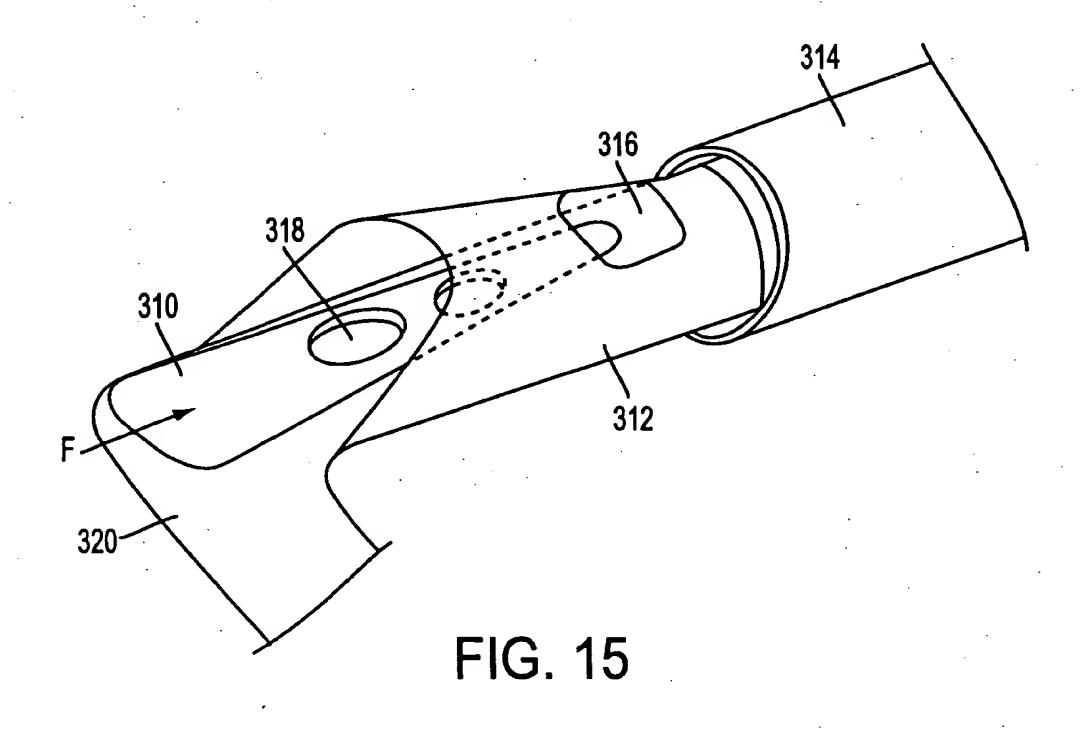
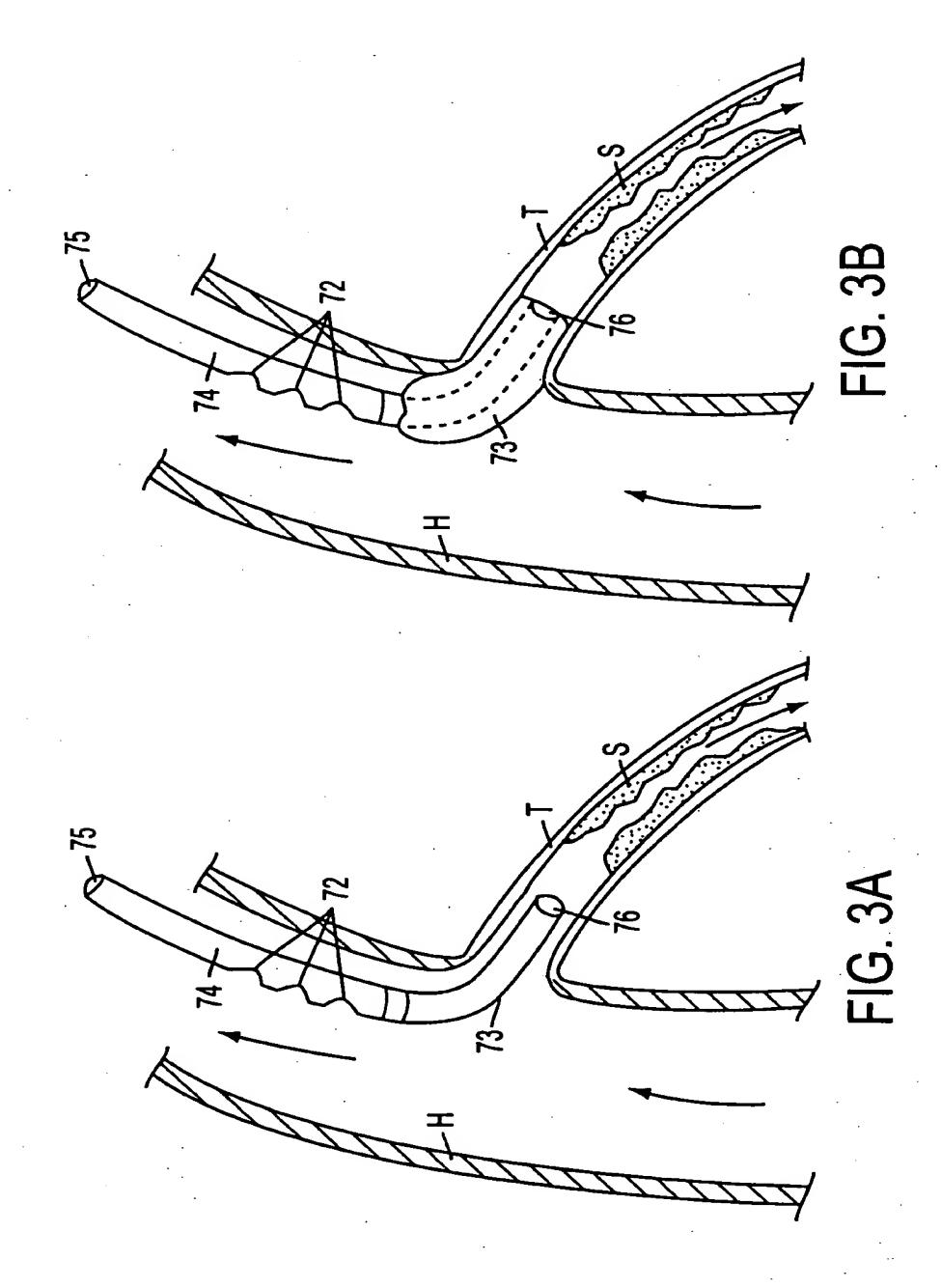


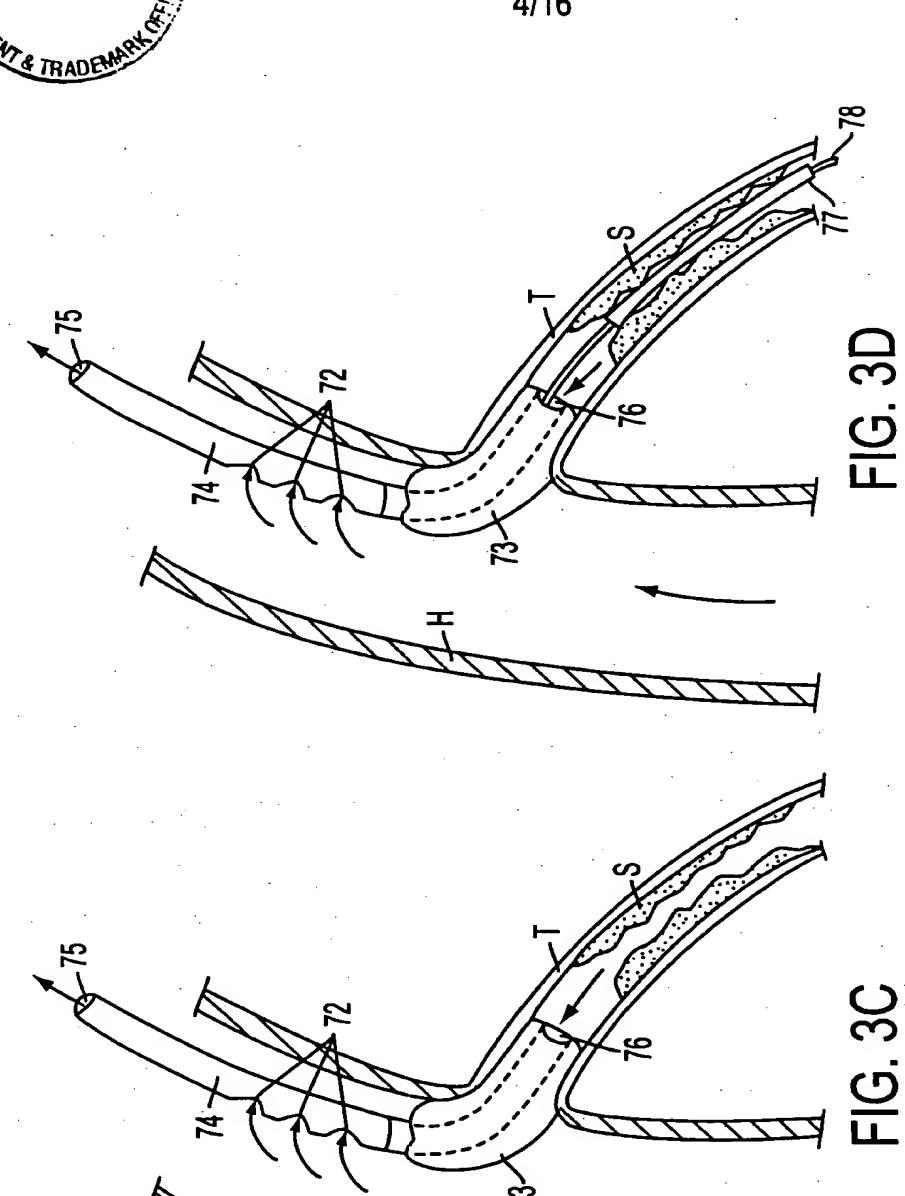
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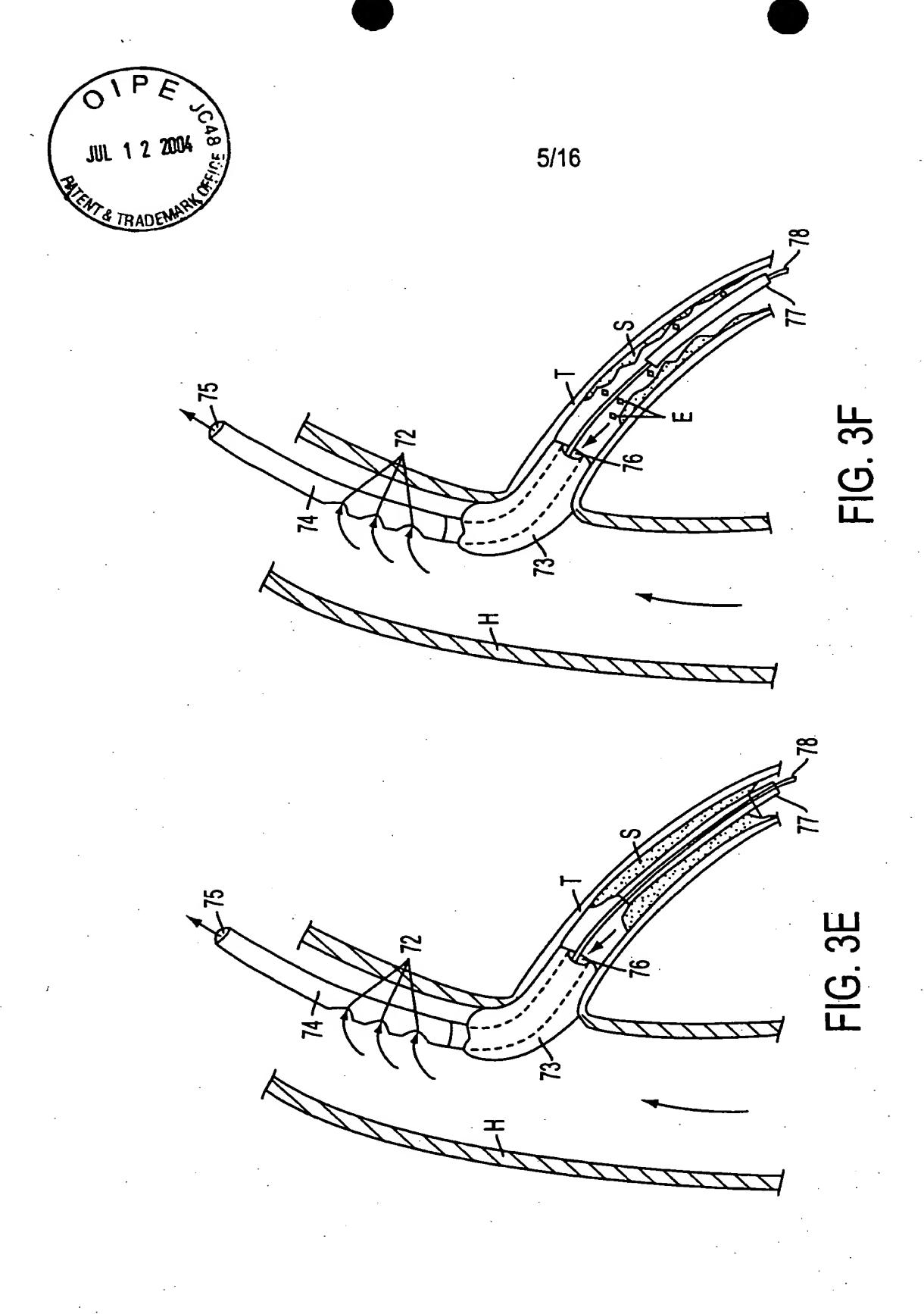




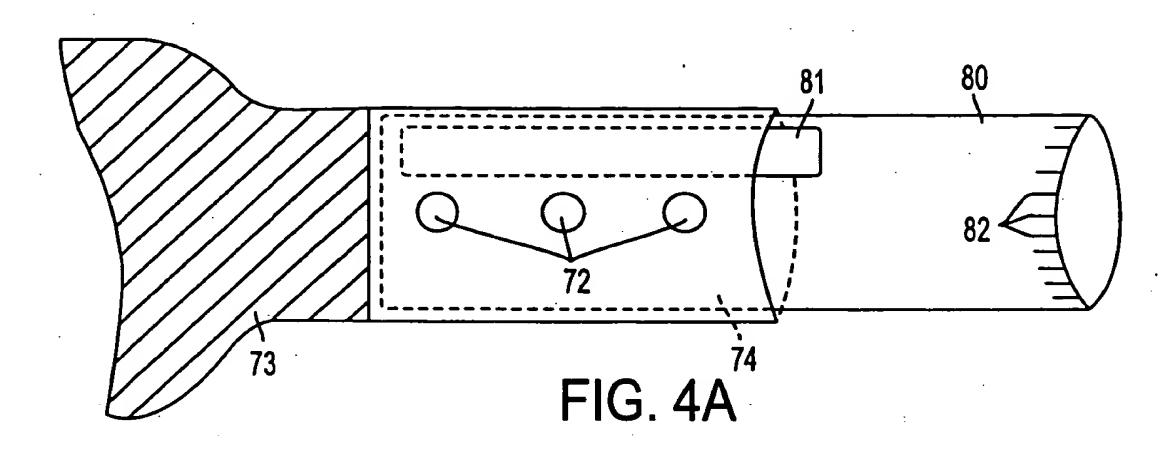


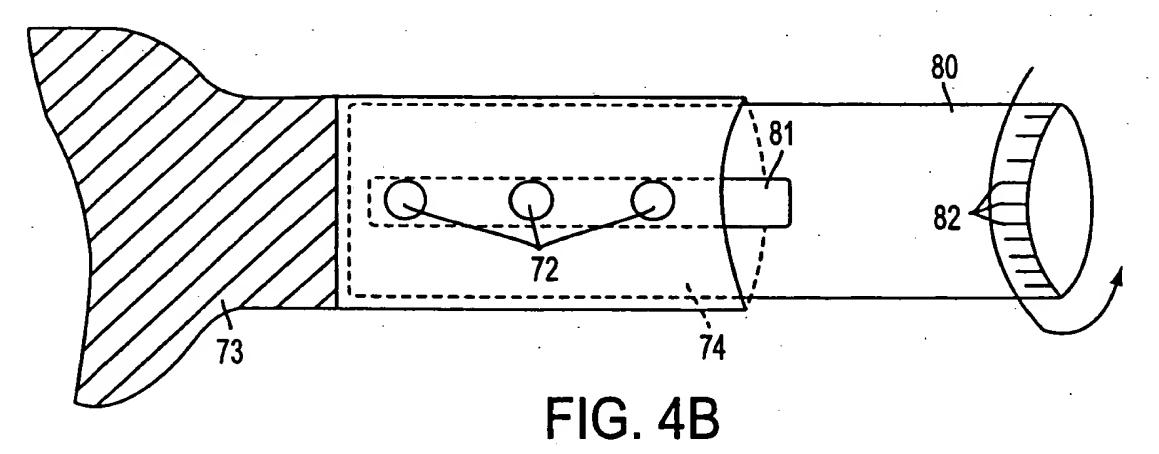












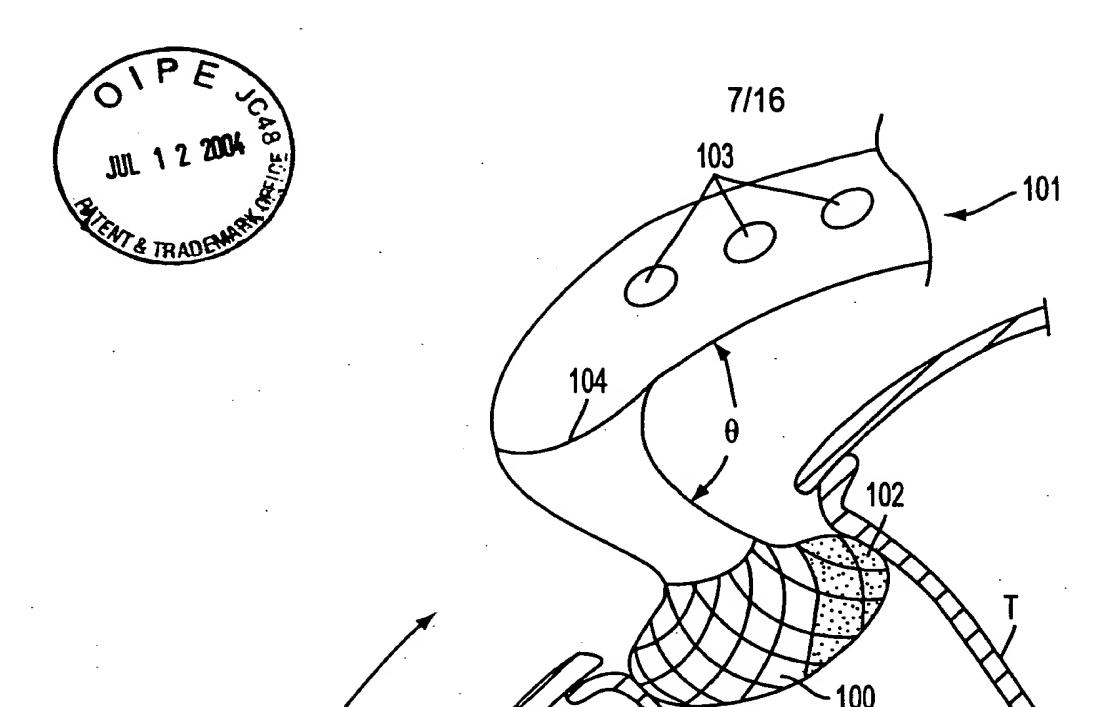
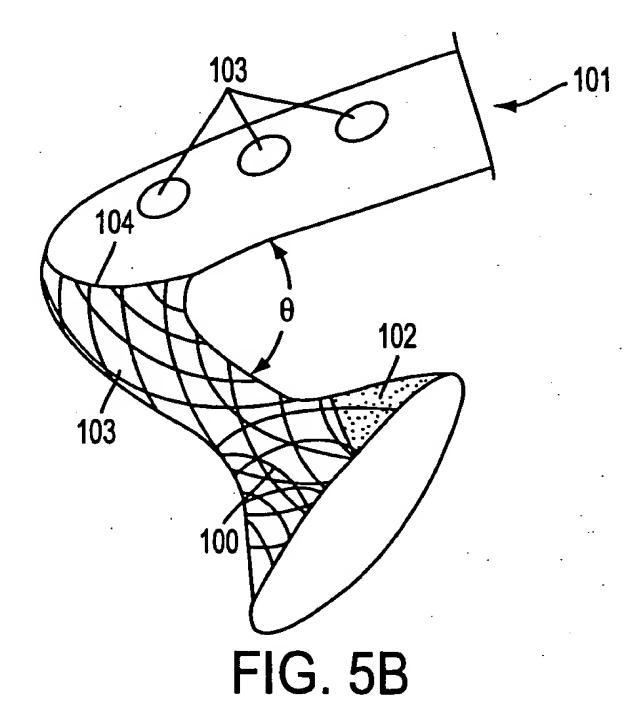
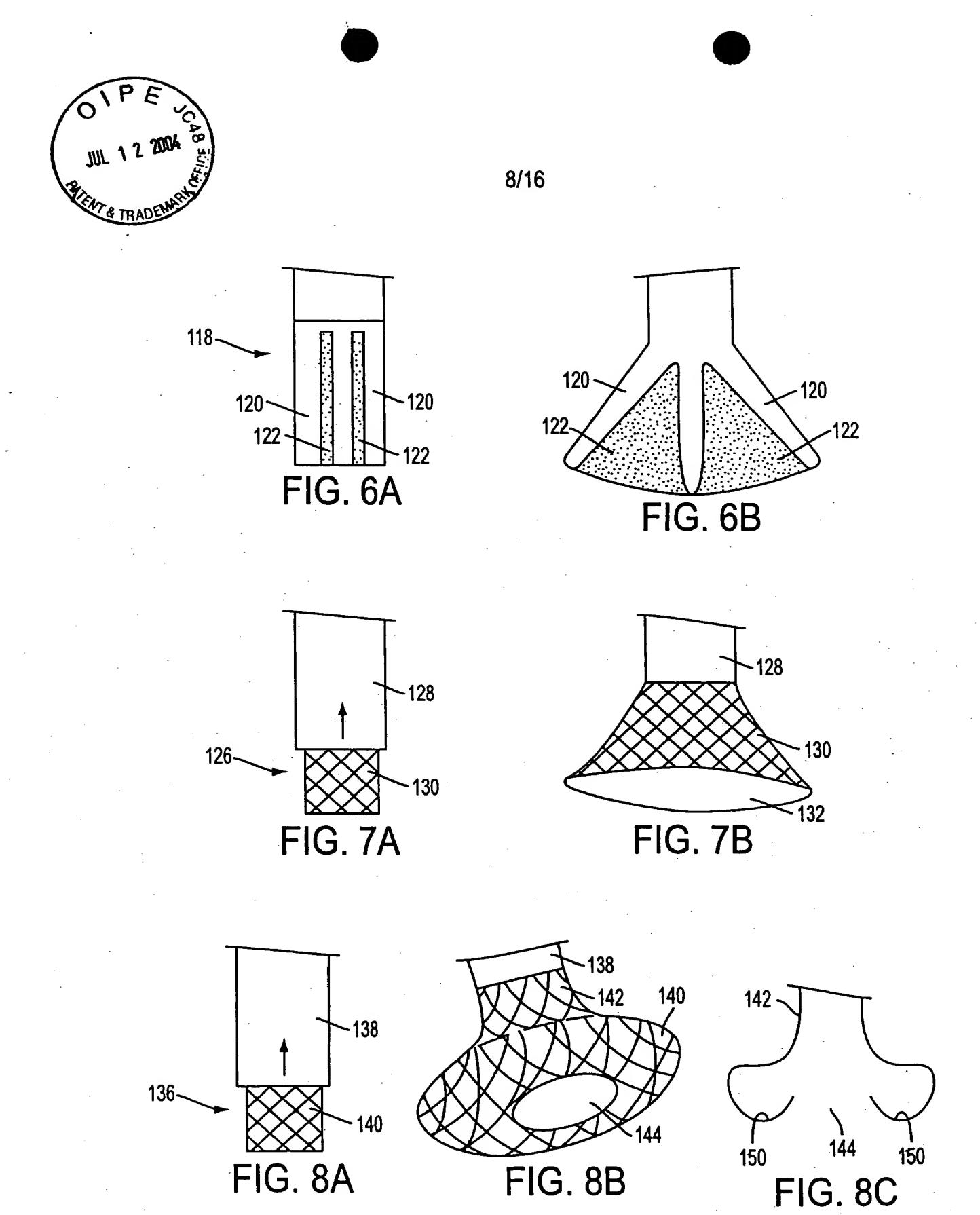
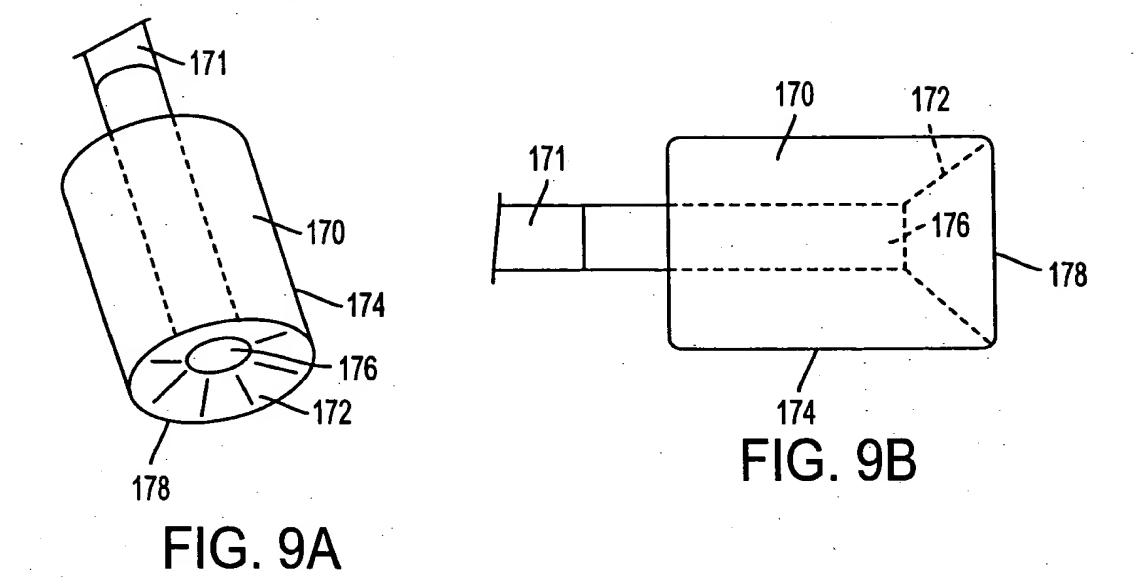


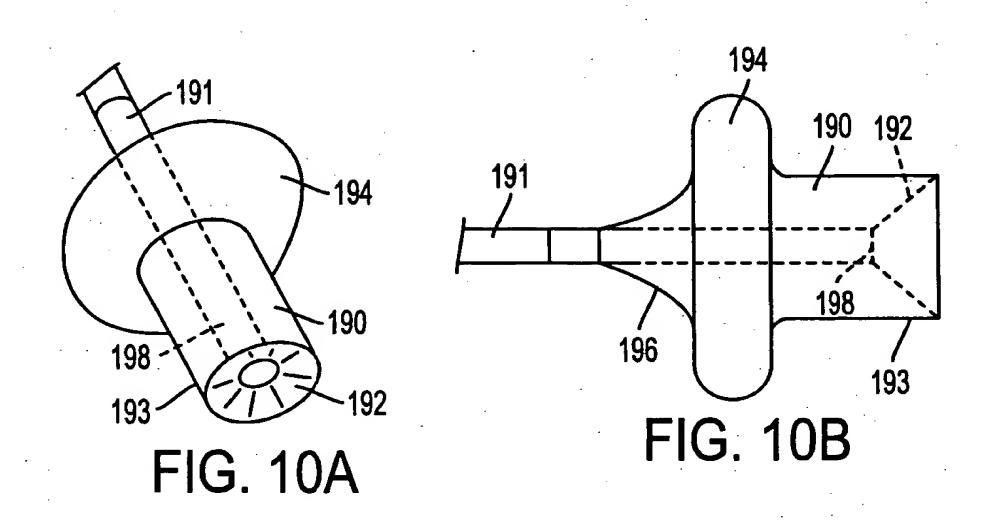
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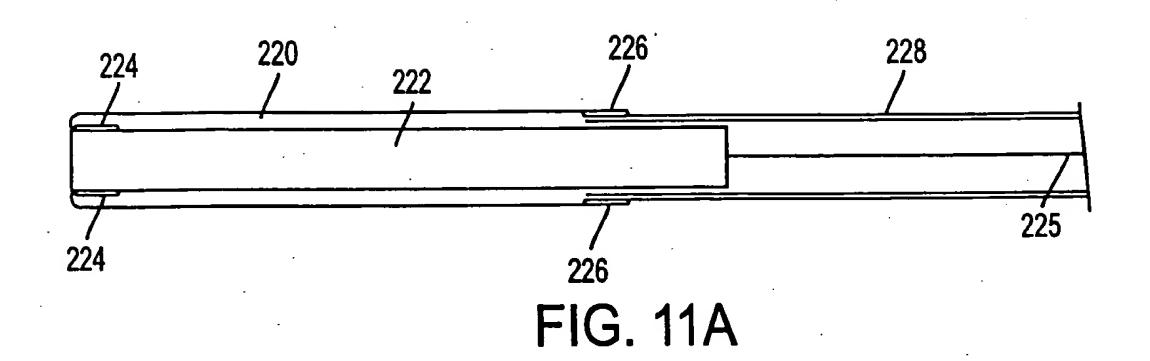


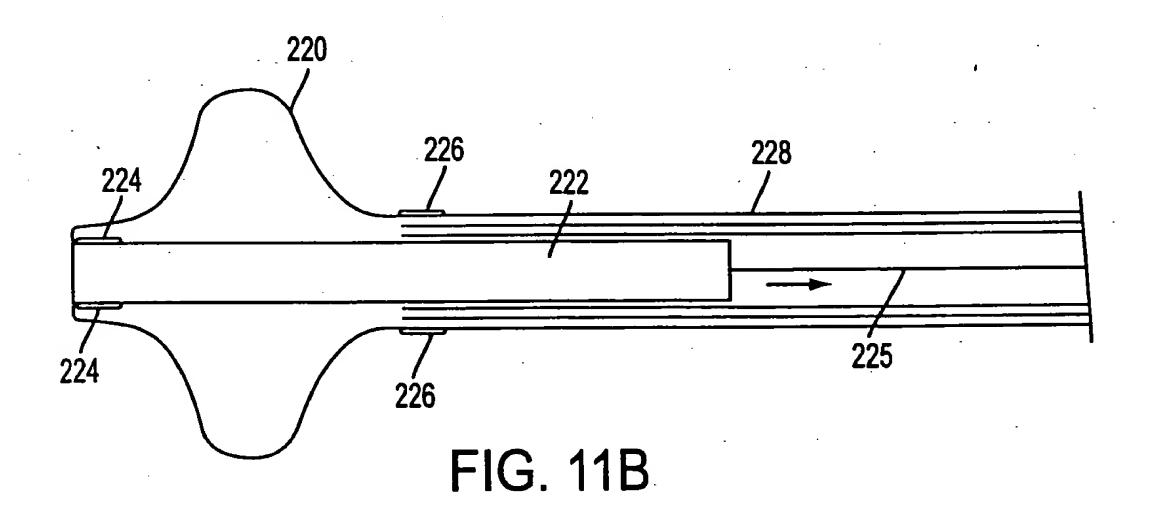




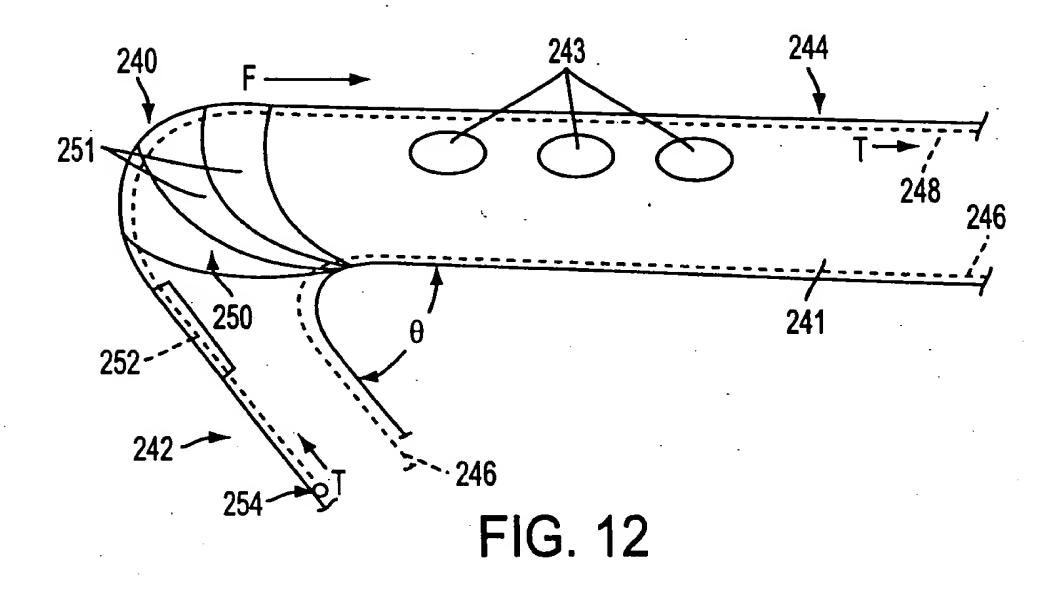


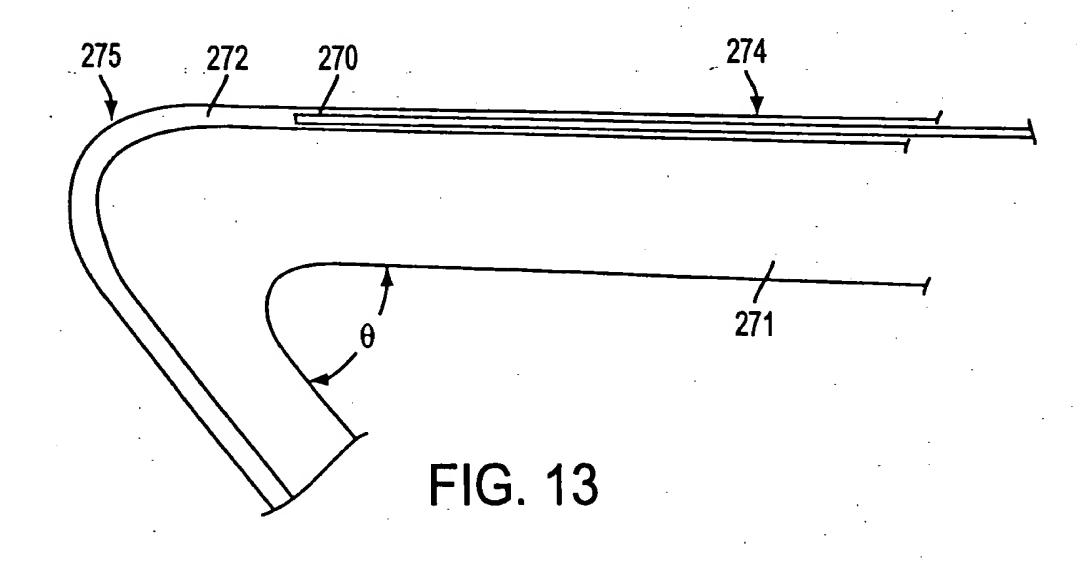






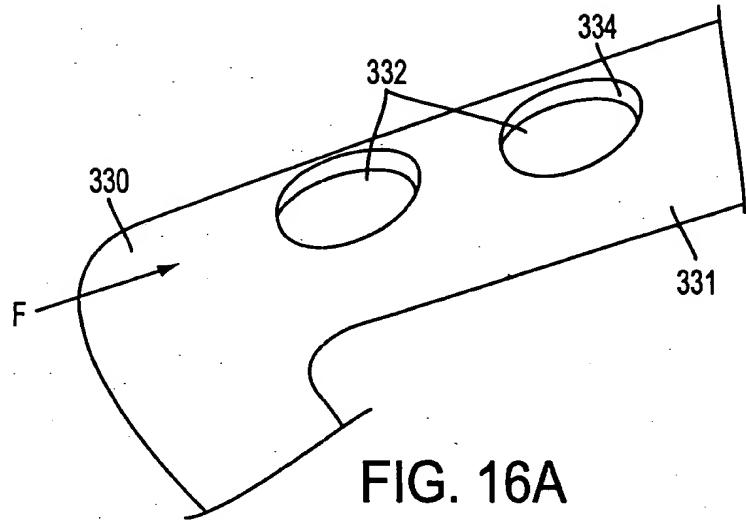


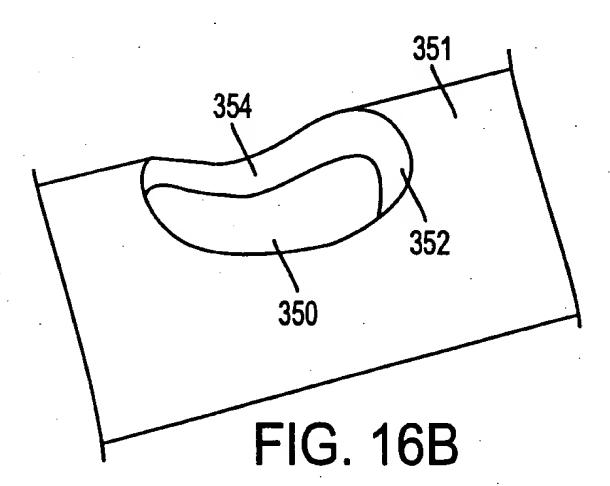


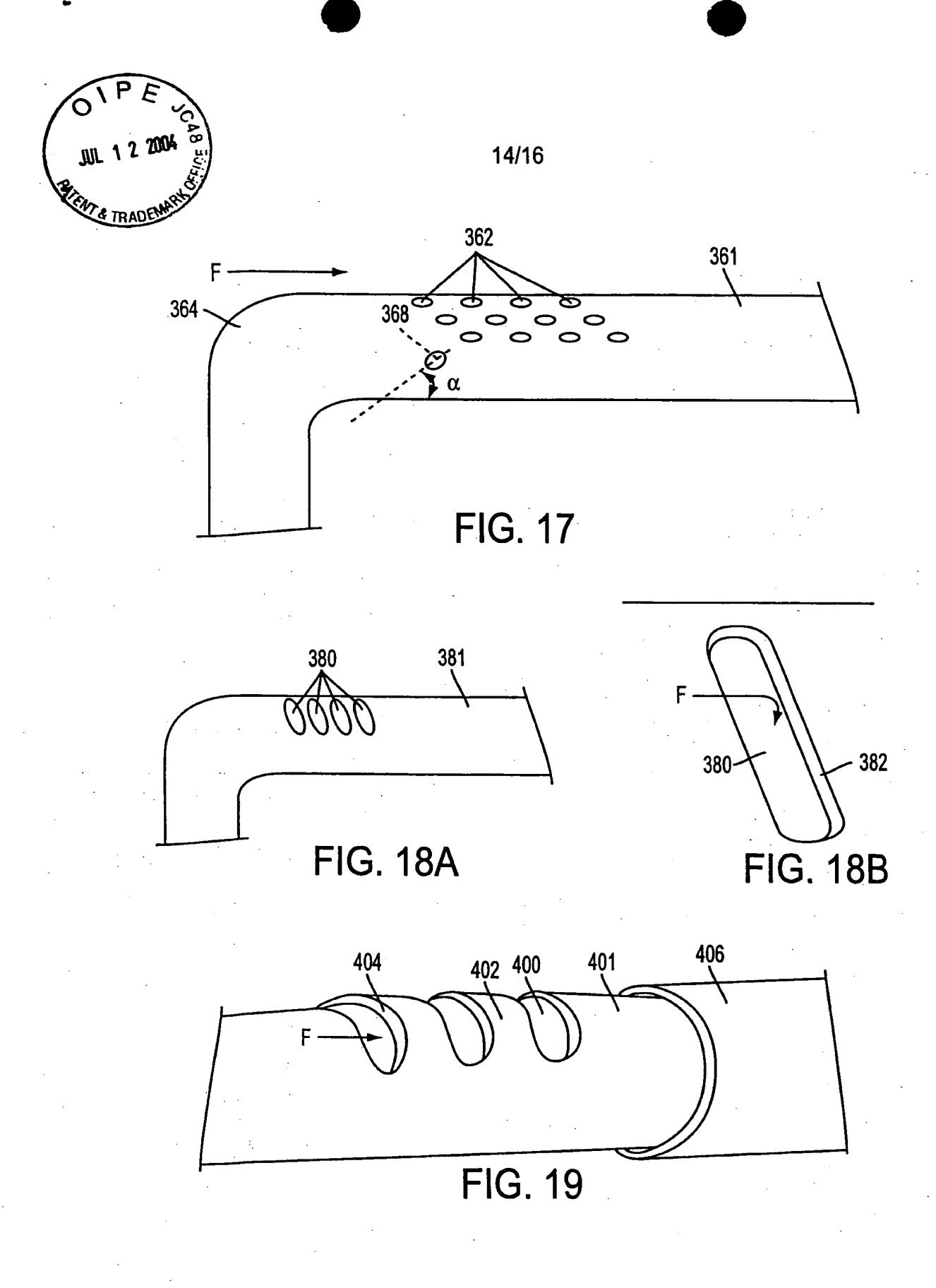




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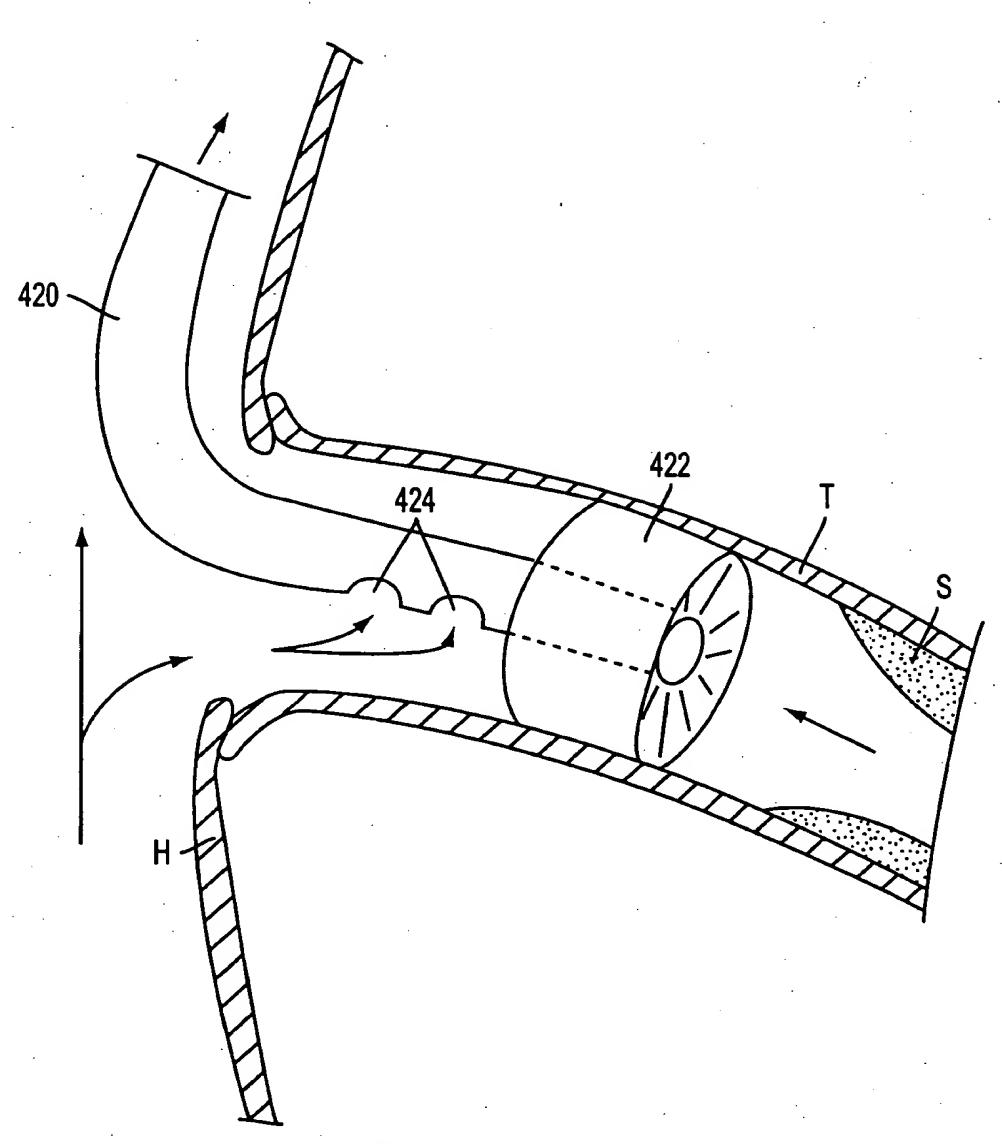


FIG. 20



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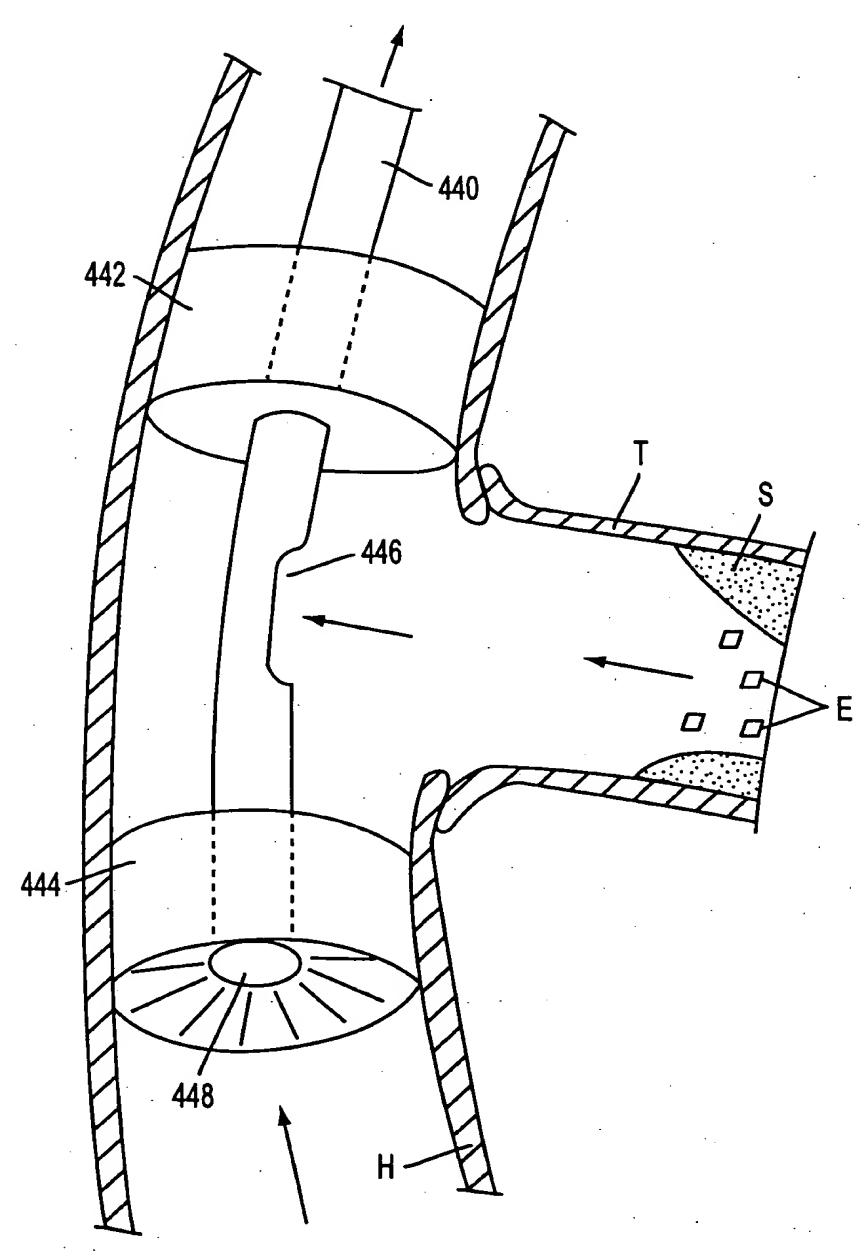


FIG. 21